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RESPONSE AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116 AND STATEMENT ON SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Attention: BOX AF

Sir:

This is in response to the final Office Action mailed July 23, 2004, and having a period for response set to expire on October 25, 2004. (October 23 being a Saturday).

The following remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

Please enter this Amendment.

Thank you

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